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In re Application of: Linder et al.

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HYPOXIA-LOCALIZING MOIETY**

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**AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION**

In response to the Office Action mailed September 9, 2004, applicants hereby submit the present amendments and remarks for consideration in the present application.

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